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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of time extending the date for response until February 19, 2002. Enclosed is a check for \$55.00 in payment of the fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(§1.27(a)).

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